

because this is not as bad as the other does not mean that this is good. And I'm sure that if you were in my position you would be saying the same things that I'm saying, namely that these things, called the committee amendments, are not good in their present form. You mentioned the resourcefulness of these women, and I agree with you. And I think you hit the nail on the head as to at least part of the reason for that resourcefulness, they have to find a way to survive in very hostile circumstances where they have limited means. But I have to come back to the point that I made earlier. The wrong people are pushing this bill. Rush Limbaugh would be happy to see this because he could...he wouldn't be as nice as I am. He would mention the things that people have said before on other issues and how remarkable it is that in an election year so much can change. It's hard for me to believe that this is really happening. Actually, it isn't, but that was the appropriate thing to say because I want to emphasize that it really is disappointing to me that things are unfolding as they are. I don't mean any disrespect to anybody when I say this, but we all know, this is "Repelican" stuff that we're dealing with here today. That's what it is. But the "Demagogues" are the ones pushing it, that's what's happening. Silence from those people who...Senator Dierks knows it when we have those arguments on abortion. There are people always talking about how you all...you all are more concerned about a fetus than you are children in being. You've heard that so many times that you could say it before the person who's about to say it gets it out. Leave that baby alone, let that baby talk. (Baby crying in balcony of the Chamber.) The baby's making more sense than a lot of what's being said and done down here, and the baby is sincere and honest and doing what babies were sent to this world to do. If all of us would act in accord with what our nature is, instead of what our nature has become as a result of being corrupt...not corrupted, being changed by politics, we would be as pure as that baby. How could anybody do something to harm a child like that? How could anybody support a piece of legislation that says when that baby is one day past twelve weeks old the mother has to go to these nonsensical classes, because people in the Legislature are social engineering, experimenting and micromanaging...

SENATOR SCHIMEK: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...the life of the mother of that child? That's what we're talking about here. And the baby brings a